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A profusely illustrated folder issued by the Santa Fe describes the trip to California, and also contains complete schedule of the special trains to be run for those who avail themselves of the low rate made for the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church and the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

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### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Record of Business of Importance Transacted at the Recent Meetings.

The Chieftain is indebted to C. A. Baca, the recently elected clerk of the board of education, for access to the records of the proceedings of the board.

At the regular meeting of the board May 4, the bond of C. A. Baca, clerk, was approved and the bond of the treasurer was fixed at \$5,000.

Bills were allowed and ordered paid as follows:

M. A. Saylor, teacher, salary for April.....	\$60 00
E. M. Chavez, same.....	40 00
Sister Mary Basil, same.....	60 00
Sister Angelica, same.....	40 00
Maria Tafaya, janitress, same.....	6 00
Soila de Montoya, same.....	6 00
José Peña, irrigating trees on school grounds.....	4 00
S. C. Abeyta, labor and printing.....	6 50
R. M. Zimmerly, clerk, salary 2 mo.....	10 00

At an adjourned regular meeting May 11, Elias E. Baca was sworn in as a member of the board.

The corrected report of the treasurer and the ex-clerk showed a final balance of \$836.68 on hand on the first day of May.

At an adjourned regular meeting May 12, bills were allowed and ordered paid as follows:

Benj. Sanchez, com.....	\$28 80
C. A. Baca, postal cards.....	1 00
B. A. Pino, recording clerk's bond.....	1 00
A. C. Torres, school supplies.....	1 00
Henry Collins, desk.....	2 00
Socorro Co. Pub. Co., Printing.....	3 25

Total.....\$37 05

The sheriff's office in the court house was designated as the permanent place of meeting of the board.

J. J. Eppele was elected president and R. Stackpole vice-president of the board. The chair appointed committees, which were confirmed by the board, as follows: On finance, R. Stackpole, Missis Baca, Martin Lopez; on grounds and buildings, Remigio Peña, D. Torres, and E. E. Baca; on teachers and employees, J. J. Eppele, E. E. Baca, and Seferino Abeyta.

At an adjourned regular meeting May 15, arrangements were perfected with Price Bros. & Co. whereby they are to receive the school money of the district on deposit. Price Bros. & Co. had furnished a satisfactory \$5,000 bond and agreed to pay interest on all monthly average balances in excess of \$200 at the rate of 2 per cent per annum. It was then ordered that Ricardo Abeyta deposit with Price Bros. & Co. all funds in the treasury of the district and afterwards deposit with said firm daily all monies belonging to the district. A. A. Sedillo was allowed a fee of \$5 for drawing the bond of Price Bros. & Co.

The delinquent poll-tax list, showing \$128 delinquent for 1902, was delivered to the clerk; also the poll-tax list for 1903 amounting to \$395.

The board met Saturday, May 16, when the clerk reported that only a part of the money in the hands of the treasurer had been deposited as required. The clerk was instructed to notify the treasurer to deposit the balance on the following day without fail.

The board then adjourned to meet on Monday, June 1.

### Hon. Geo. D. Keeney Dead.

The Perry (N. Y.) Record of April 30 contains the announcement of the death of Hon. Geo. D. Keeney, formerly well and favorably known in the mining circles of this vicinity. Judge Keeney left Socorro about eight years ago after a residence of several years in this locality. He died April 28 at Lockport, New York, at the age of 66 years.

### From a Cat Scratch.

On the arm, to the worst sort of a burn, sore or boil, De Witt's Hazel Salve is a quick cure. In buying Witch Hazel Salve, be particular to get De Witt's—this is the salve that heals without leaving a scar. A specific for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by A. E. Howell.

### UNITED STATES COURT.

Judge McMillan Disposes of Considerable Important Business in a Very Short Time.

The regular May term of United States court for the fifth judicial district convened in this city Monday morning. There was not much business to come before the court, but what there was was disposed of in short order.

Officers of the court were in attendance as follows:

Hon. Dan'l H. McMillan, judge of the fifth judicial district, presiding; W. C. Reid, assistant U. S. attorney; John E. Griffith, district clerk; Geo. Caseman and Jno. M. Wiley, deputy U. S. marshals; Nestor P. Eaton, court interpreter; C. B. Sedillo, grand jury interpreter; H. R. Harris, crier; A. L. McKee, grand jury bailiff; and Abran Torres, court bailiff.

Considerable of the time of the court was occupied in listening to the reading and discussion of the case of Armstrong vs. Owen, an election contest case from Lincoln county concerning the office of sheriff.

John E. Sackrison and Aniceto Beltran were naturalized.

Cases were disposed of as follows:

United States vs. John Ward, robbery and larceny; stricken from the docket with leave to restate.

United States vs. Higinio Toledo and Francisca Ortega, adultery; same.

United States vs. Old Abe Mining Co., trover; continued.

United States vs. Gumm Bros., trover; discontinued at the cost of the defendant.

United States vs. Harry Herman, conversion of timber; set for trial on the first day of next term.

United States vs. Last Chance Mining Co. et al, damages; continued.

United States vs. Wm. J. Weatherly et al, injunction; discontinued at the cost of the defendant.

United States vs. Hezekiah Biggs, injunction; continued.

United States vs. Davidson & Curtis et al, injunction etc.; ordered heard on 20 days notice by the U. S. attorney.

United States vs. A. M. Richardson et al, injunction; dismissed upon payment of costs by the defendants.

United States vs. Geo. E. Cowden et al, injunction; same. Two cases.

United States vs. J. H. Charles, unlawful fencing of public land; same.

Cases against Thos. Cowden et al and Wesley Stewart et al for the unlawful fencing of public land were also ordered discontinued upon the payment of costs by the defendants.

### TERRITORIAL COURT.

The only case disposed of in the territorial court was that of Dickie & Crawford vs. Ross W. Thomas, attachment. Judgment was given and a writ of venditione exponsas was ordered.

### \$100 Reward, \$100.

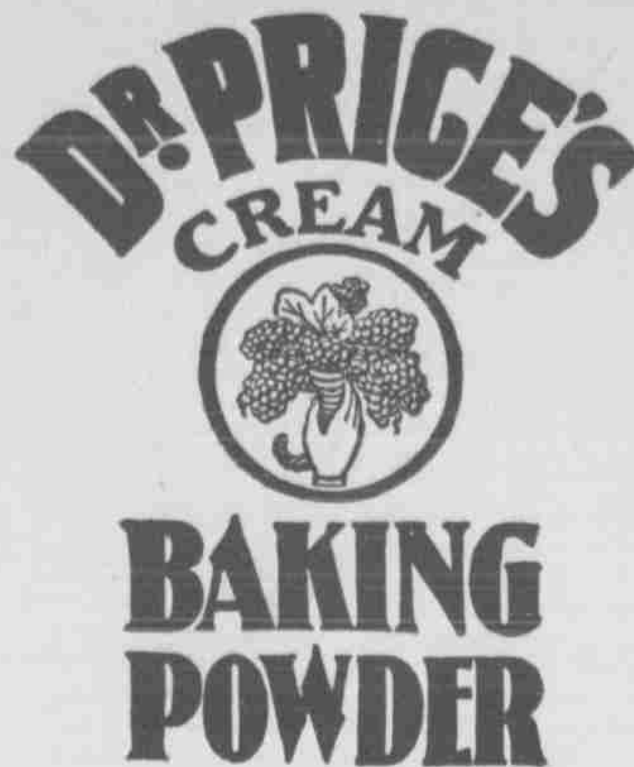
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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### Students' Ball.

The students of the School of Mines will give a ball to their friends at the Garcia opera house Friday night, May 29. Invitations will be sent out. It is intended to make the affair one of the finest of the season and a good time is insured to all who accept the invitation extended.

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### PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR.

To the Citizens of Socorro:

According to custom and precedent established since 1869 that the 30th of May be set aside to decorate the graves of those who fought that the Republic should live, and which later has been hallowed by the noble action of those who wore the blue and those who wore the gray in jointly decorating the graves of each without distinction, a sentiment heaven-born that could only originate in the American nation, that claims Europe for its mother;

Therefore, I, as Mayor of Socorro, invite the participation of all the citizens of Socorro, that the day be properly observed. Capt. T. J. Matthews with Company H, N. M. N. G., which so lately upheld the military prestige of Socorro, in the creditable showing made under inspection by Captain Walker, will participate together with his youthful auxiliary company. The soldiers who wore the blue will parade with canteens made of flowers, and knapsacks also made of square wreaths of flowers. The soldiers who wore the gray will parade with canteens made of flowers, and a roll of flowers representing a blanket worn over the right shoulder and under the left arm. The members of Company H as well as the youthful cadets will wear a bouquet in the muzzle of their guns. The starchy banner will be folded and tied in place with crape and surmounted with a wreath of flowers.

The procession will be headed by the Mayor and the orator of day and chaplain, followed by the Confederate veterans and Grand Army veterans, then Company H and cadets as escort of honor, then the ladies who will sing the national anthem, then the school children and citizens generally.

I designate and appoint Ross McMillan as Grand Marshal of the day, and José E. Torres and Aniceto C. Abeyta as Chief Aids. The Grand Marshal and Aids will be mounted and be decorated with red sashes as distinctive badges of their rank and position. Their duty will be to place the procession in proper order and prevent stragglers along the route.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of May, 1903.

M. COONEY,  
Mayor.

### Ranch Sale.

H. A. Blackstone of Boston, Mass., has just bought P. N. Yunker's fruit ranch a few miles north of this city. Mr. Blackstone will bring his family to Socorro the first of September to reside and will place his three sons in the School of Mines. The acquisition of Mr. Blackstone and family may be counted a very desirable one for Socorro. The ranch sale was negotiated by C. T. Brown.

### MAGDALENA MINES.

The Camp Now Enjoying Greater Activity Than Before for Years.

F. J. Thomas is one of the parties interested in the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company now operating three mines in the Magdalena camp. Mr. Thomas was in Socorro Thursday and from him it was learned that one of his company's mines, the Hardscrabble, is now shipping 40 tons of ore a day and is expected to double that output within two weeks. The ore from this mine is a silver-lead ore that yields from 8 to 12 ounces of the former metal per ton.

Mr. Thomas stated that from 80 to 100 men are now employed in the three producing mines of his company in the Magdalena district. These mines are the Hardscrabble, the Juanita, and the Ambrosia. He also called attention to the fact that the Graphic and the Kelly are again good producers and are expected to do much better in the near future. In short, Mr. Thomas felt much pleased with present conditions in the Magdalena district and was hopeful of much more gratifying conditions a little later.

### SHIPMENTS OF HORSES.

More Sales at Magdalena to Supply the Demand in Eastern Markets.

Special to The Chieftain. Magdalena, New Mex., May 22.—The spring shipments of horses from Socorro county still continue. The Jones Brothers of Frisco shipped a carload of select mares a few days ago from this place to their selling stables at Joplin, Mo. Also, J. D. Munson purchased a load of young breeding stuff at the A. L. ranch, which he ran through to Chanute, Kansas, to fill a contract there.

### The X-Rays.

Recent experiments, by practical tests and examination with the aid of the X-Rays, establish it as a fact that catarrh of the stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How can I cure my indigestion?" Kodol dyspepsia cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia, and prevent of cure catarrh of the stomach. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by A. E. Howell.

### Naturalized from Texas.

Aniceto Beltran applied in Judge McMillan's court Tuesday to be made a citizen of the United States. When asked what foreign country he was from, Beltran answered that he was from Texas. Then everybody laughed, but Judge McMillan obligingly sent Beltran away proud of the fact that he was a sovereign American citizen.

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